1 Hon. Brian D. Lynch In Proceedings Under Chapter 13 2 Hearing Date: September 6, 2023 Time: 1:30 PM 3 Response Date: August 30, 2023 Location: 1717 Pacific Ave Tacoma, WA 4 98402 Courtroom I 5 6 UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 7 Case No: 23-40883 BDL In re 8 Joshua Emmanuel Marroquin, Sandra Melina 9 NOTICE AND MOTION TO AVOID JUDICIAL Marroquin LIENS ON RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY WITH Debtor, 10 PROOF OF SERVICE 11 **NOTICE** 12 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE DEBTOR(S)' MOTION TO AVOID JUDICIAL LIEN IS SET FOR HEARING AS FOLLOWS: 13 14 JUDGE: Brian D. Lynch TIME: 1:30 PM PLACE: 1717 Pacific Ave Tacoma, WA 98402 DATE: September 6, 2023 15 Court Room I 16 IF YOU OPPOSE the Motion, you must file your written response with the court clerk, serve two copies 17 on the Judge's chambers and deliver copies to the undersigned NOT LATER THAN THE RESPONSE DATE, which is August 30, 2023. 18 IF NO RESPONSE IS TIMELY FILED AND SERVED, the Court may, in its discretion, GRANT 19 THE MOTION PRIOR TO THE HEARING WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE, and strike the hearing. 20 21 NOTICE AND MOTION TO AVOID Law Office of Mark McClure, P.S. 22 JUDICIAL LIENS ON RESIDENTIAL 1103 W. Meeker Street, Suite 101 Kent, WA 98032 PROPERTY WITH PROOF OF SERVICE -- 1 23 (253) 631-6484

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MOTION

- 1. Debtors, Joshua Emmanuel Marroquin and Sandra Melina Marroquin, commenced this case on June 1, 2023 by filing a voluntary petition for relief under Chapter 13 of Title 11 of the United States Code.
- 2. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1334, this court has jurisdiction over this motion filed pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 522(f) to avoid and cancel the judicial lien held by Advantis Credit Union ("Advantis") on real property used as the Debtor's residence.
- 3. Advantis obtained a judicial lien resulting from Pierce County Court Case Number 22-2-10599-8 against all real property.
- 4. Debtors own one property which is their residence in Pierce County, Washington with the address commonly known as 13309 16th Ave Ct. S., Tacoma, WA 98444 whose legal description is:

Lot 6 of SHADOW WOOD ESTATES, as per Plat recorded June 6, 1984 under Recording No. 8406060202, records of Pierce County Auditor.

Situate in the County of Pierce, State of Washington. with parcel number is: 754550-006-0.

- 5. Advantis's judicial lien was filed and recorded in Pierce County under Pierce County Recording number 202302170301.
 - 6. The Debtors' interest in the property referred to in this motion and encumbered by the lien has been claimed as fully exempt in the Debtor's bankruptcy case. The allowable exemption for Pierce County under RCW 6.13.030 for 2023 is \$554,400.00. (See ECF #1). In accord with RCW 6.13.070 "... If the value of the debtor's interest in homestead property on the petition date is less than or equal to the amount that can be exempted under RCW 6.13.030, then the debtor's entire interest in the property, including the debtor's right to possession and interests of no monetary value, is exempt. Any appreciation in the value of the debtor's exempt

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interest in the property during the bankruptcy case is also exempt, even if in excess of the amounts in RCW 6.13.030(1)...."

- 7. The value of the Debtor's residence was approximately \$719,200.00 at the date of filing (See also ECF #1). The balance owing on the first mortgage to Rocket Mortgage is approximately \$507,874.44 as evidenced by Proof of Claim No. 8.
- 8. Harborstone Credit Union holds a second mortgage of approximately \$59,998.00 as evidenced by the Debtors' Schedules and relevant portion of Debtors' Credit Report attached as an exhibit to Debtors' Declaration in Support..
- 9. In this case, where there is no equity in the property after accounting for the first and second mortgages and Debtors' homestead exemption claim, there is nothing for the judgment lien holder to attach.

WHEREFORE, Debtor prays for an Order against Advantis Credit Union avoiding and canceling the judicial lien in the above-mentioned property in favor of the Debtor, and for such additional or alternative relief as may be deemed just and proper.

DATED: August 02, 2023

/s/ Mark C McClure

Mark C. McClure, WSBA # 24393

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